

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant	:	Garfield et al.		
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Commissioner of Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office action of January 23, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification -none.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings - none.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.